said road, and when opened, the same shall for ever thereafter be CHAP. 144. deemed a public highway, and kept in repair as other public roads

in said county are.

4. WHEREAS, the road leading from the Manor Road, through be shut up the lands of the late Joseph Meconnikin, to T. B. being a part of the public road to Church Hill, and will be superseded by the road contemplated by this act, therefore, BE IT ENACTED, that the commissioners aforesaid, or a majority of them, when in their judgment they shall be convinced that the road contemplated to be opened, straightened and amended, by this act, is in such order as will admit of travelling thereon without inconvenience, they then shall order the shutting up of that part of the road from T. B. to the Manor Road aforesaid

5. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the commissioners hereby ap commissioners'alpointed shall be allowed the sum of two dollars for every day (to be ascertained by the levy court) they shall have attended in discharge of the duties herein imposed, which is hereby directed to be levied and paid as other county charges are; and the said commissioners are hereby authorised to fill any vacancies that may happen either by death, resignation, or refusal to act.

CHAP. CXLV.

A Supplement to an Act*. entitled, An act authorising a Lottery to Passed Jan. 28 1817 raise a sum of money to purchase a Lot of Ground in Coxe's-Town, in Baltimore County, and to erect a Building thereon to be used as a School-House and Meeting-House. Lib. Til. No. 5, fol. 284.

WHEREAS the commissioners named in the above mentioned law Preamble. have declined acting under the same; therefore,

1. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That New managers appointed Henry Ebaugh, Thomas Lemmon, Michael Armagost, Samuel J. Alter, Ulrick Z. Bucher, John Fouble, (of Jacob,) and William Murray, (of Wheeler.) or a majority of them, be, and they are hereby authorised and empowered, in lieu of the managers named in said act, to proceed with the lottery authorised therein, and to raise thereby the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars, for the purpose of purchasing a lot of ground in or near Coxe's-Town, in Baltimore county, and erecting a building thereon to be used and employed as a school and meeting house, upon their giving bond to the state in the sum of five thousand dollars, with condition as prescribed in the act aforesaid, and for the application of the money raised by said lottery to the purchase of a lot in or near Coxe's-Town, and the erecting a building thereon to be used as a school and meeting-house.

CHAP. CXLVI.

An Act to Incorporate the Philomanthanean Society of Upper Marl- Passed Jan 27 181 borough, in Prince George's County. Lib. TH. No. 5, fol, 285.

WHEREAS sundry persons, citizens of Prince-George's county, Preamble have associated themselves together, and founded a society at the town of Upper Marlborough, in said county, for the purpose of promoting literature and science, denominated the Philomanthanean Society of Upper Marlborough, and by their petition in writing. applied to this general assembly for an act of incorporation; and the same being thought reasonable, therefore,